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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)  
F-5366In re Application of  
Daniel R. Boggs, et al.Application Number  
09/111,915Filed  
July 8, 1998For  
Composite Membrane With Particulate Matter Substantially ImmobilizedGroup Art Unit  
1723Examiner  
Richard W. Ward

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows  
(check time period desired):

<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$ 890.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$ _____

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50/1039. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the  applicant/inventor

<input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record.
<input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____.

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May 7, 2001

Date

Signature

Andrew G. Kolomayets

Typed or printed name

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PATENT  
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PARTICULATE MATTER )  
SUBSTANTIALLY IMMOBILIZED )  
THEREIN )  
Date December 3, 1999

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Dear Sir:

1. Applicants hereby petition for a 1-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated August 3, 1999, thus extending the time for response to December 3, 1999.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

[ X ] is filed herewith.

[ ] has been filed separately. The response is the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.

3. Applicants are

[ ] a small entity. A verified statement:

[ ] is attached.

[ ] was already filed.

[ X ] other than a small entity.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):

<u>Extension (months)</u>	<u>Fee for Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
[X] one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
[ ] two months	\$ 380.00	\$ 190.00
[ ] three months	\$ 870.00	\$ 435.00
[ ] four months	\$1,360.00	\$ 680.00

**Fee \$110.00**

5. Enclosed is a check for the filing fee of \$110.00.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 50/1039 for any fee deficiency.

A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 12/3/99

  
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